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INFORMATIONAL NOTICE

TO: Enrolled Hospitals: Chief Executive Officers, Chief Financial Officers, Patient Accounts Managers, Health Information Management Directors; and Ambulatory Surgical Treatment Centers (ASTCs)

RE: Ambulatory Procedures Listing (APL) Code Additions Retroactive to July 1, 2004

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Effective for dates of service on and after July 1, 2004, the department required that all hospital outpatient and ASTC services be billed using the appropriate APL HCPCS/CPT codes. After further review of the initial HCPCS/CPT code set, the department has compiled a list of additional HCPCS/CPT codes to be added to the APL.

These codes are valid retroactively to July 1, 2004. The code list is attached to this notice.

The actual APL will be revised at a later date. The APL and the retroactive code list are posted on the department's Web site at <<http://www.dpailinois.com/reimbursement/apl.html>>.

Specific information on the department's contingency plans and testing status with specific electronic trading partners is available at <<http://www.myidpa.com/hipaa/>>. It is the responsibility of each provider to ensure that all material related to changes in the department's billing procedures, handbooks, etc., are shared with their software vendor, corporate help desk or information systems area.

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<http://www.dpailinois.com/provrel/> or <http://www.ildpa.com/provrel/>

Any questions regarding this notice may be directed to the Bureau of Comprehensive Health Services at 877-782-5565 (toll-free) or 217-782-5565.

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CPT/HCPCS Code	APL Group	CPT/HCPCS Description
10021	2c	Fine needle aspiration, without imaging guidance
17106	1d	Destruction of cutaneous vascular proliferative lesions (e.g., laser technique); less than 10 sq. cm.
17107	1d	Destruction of cutaneous vascular proliferative lesions (e.g., laser technique); 10 to 50 sq. cm.
17108	1d	Destruction of cutaneous vascular proliferative lesions (e.g., laser technique); over 50 sq. cm.
20610	2d	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/or injection, major joint or bursa
20912	1c	Cartilage graft; nasal septum
20924	1c	Tendon graft, from a distance (e.g., palmaris, toe extensor, plantaris)
20931	1b	Allograft for spine surgery only; structural
21116	2b	Injection procedure for temporomandibular joint arthrography
23350	2b	Injection procedure for shoulder arthrography or enhanced CT/MRI shoulder arthrography
24220	2b	Injection procedure for elbow arthrography
24420	1b	Osteoplasty, humerus (e.g., shortening or lengthening)
25246	2b	Injection procedure for wrist arthrography
25931	1c	Transmetacarpal amputation; re-amputation
27093	2b	Injection procedure for hip arthrography, without anesthesia
27095	2b	Injection procedure for hip arthrography, with anesthesia
27176	2b	Treatment of slipped femoral epiphysis, by single or multiple pinning, in situ
27370	2b	Injection procedure for knee arthrography
27648	2b	Injection procedure for ankle arthrography
27698	1c	Repair, secondary, disrupted ligament, ankle, collateral (e.g., Watson-Jones procedure)
27808	1d	Closed treatment of bimalleolar ankle fracture, (including Potts); without manipulation
27816	1c	Closed treatment of trimalleolar ankle fracture, with or without inter or external fixation
28400	1d	Closed treatment of calcaneal fracture; without manipulation
28430	1d	Closed treatment of talus fracture; without manipulation
28450	1d	Treatment of tarsal bone fracture (except talus and calcaneus); without manipulation, each
28470	1d	Closed treatment of metatarsal fracture; without manipulation, each
29827	1b	Arthroscopy of shoulder with rotator cuff repair
29855	1b	Arthroscopically aided treatment of tibial fracture, proximal (plateau); unicondylar, with or without internal or external fixation (includes arthroscopy)
29856	1b	Arthroscopically aided treatment of tibial fracture, proximal (plateau); bicondylar, with or without internal or external fixation (separate procedure)
30400	1c	Rhinoplasty, primary; lateral and alar cartilages and/or elevation of nasal tip
30410	1c	Rhinoplasty, complete, external parts including bony pyramid, lateral and alar cartilages, and/or elevation of nasal tip
30420	1c	Rhinoplasty, complete, external parts including bony pyramid, lateral and alar cartilages, and/or elevation of nasal tip, including major septal repair

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30435	1c	Rhinoplasty, secondary, intermediate revision (bony work with osteotomies)
30450	1c	Rhinoplasty, secondary; major revision (nasal tip work and osteotomies)
30460	1c	Rhinoplasty for nasal deformity secondary to congenital cleft lip and/or palate, including columellar lengthening; tip only
30462	1c	Rhinoplasty for nasal deformity secondary to congenital cleft lip and/or palate, including columellar lengthening; tip, septum, osteotomies
36005	2b	Injection procedure for extremity venography (including introduction of needle or intracatheter)
45560	1c	Repair of rectocele (separate procedure)
46910	1d	Destruction of lesion(s), anus (e.g., condyloma, papilloma, molluscom contagiosum, herpetic vesicle), electrodesiccation
46916	1d	Destruction of lesion(s), anus (e.g., condyloma, papilloma, molluscom contagiosum, herpetic vesicle), cryosurgery
54150	1d	Circumcision, using clamp or other device; newborn
54160	1d	Circumcision, surgical excision other than clamp, device or dorsal slit; newborn
56501	1d	Destruction of lesion(s), vulva; simple (e.g., laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery)
57454	1d	Colposcopy of the cervix including upper/adjacent vagina with biopsy(s) of the cervix and endocervical curettage
57455	1d	With biopsy of the cervix & endocervical curettage
57505	1d	Endocervical curettage
58770	1c	Salpingostomy (salpingoneostomy)
59850	1d	Induced abortion, by one or more intra-amniotic injections (amniocentesis-injections), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines
59851	1d	Induced abortion, with dilation and curettage and/or evacuation
59852	1d	Induced abortion, with hysterotomy (failed intra-amniotic injection)
67801	1d	Excision of Chalazion, multiple, same lid
67805	1d	Excision of Chalazion, multiple, different lids
67835	1c	Correction of trichiasis, incision of lid margin, with free mucous membrane graft
69424	1d	Ventilating tube removal requiring general anesthesia
70336	2b	Magnetic resonance imaging, temporomandibular joints
75940	2b	Percutaneous placement of IV filter, radiological supervision & interpretation
76093	2b	Magnetic resonance imaging, breast, without and/or with contrast materials, unilateral
76094	2b	Bilateral
76370	2c	Computed tomography guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields
76380	2c	Computed tomography, limited or localized follow-up study
76394	2b	Magnetic resonance guidance for, and monitoring of, visceral tissue ablation

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76811	2c	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal & maternal eval plus detailed fetal anatomic examination, transabdominal approach, single or first gestation
92019	1d	Ophthalmological exam. and eval. under gen. anesth. with or without manipulation of globe for passive range of motion or other manipulation to facilitate diagnostic examination, limited
93017	2c	Tracing only, without interpretation & report
93225	2c	Electrocardiographic monitoring for 24 hours by continuous original ECG waveform, recording
93226	2c	Electrocardiographic monitoring for 24 hours by continuous original ECG waveform, scanning analysis with report
93231	2c	Recording
93232	2c	Microprocessor-based analysis with report
93270	2c	Recording
93271	2c	Monitoring, receipt of transmissions, and analysis
93652	2a	Intracardiac catheter ablation of arrhythmogenic focus; for treatment of ventricular tachycardia
99183	2d	Physician attendance & supervision of hyperbaric oxygen therapy, per session
0017T	1b	Destruction of macular drusen, photocoagulation
G0030	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging (following previous PET, G 0030 - 0047); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0031	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging (following previous PET, G0040 - 0047); multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0032	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following rest SPECT, 78464); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0033	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging (following rest SPECT, 78464); multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0034	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress SPECT 78465); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0035	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress SPECT 78465); multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0036	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following coronary angiography, 93510 - 93529); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0037	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following coronary angiography, 93510 - 93529); multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0038	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress planar myocardial perfusion, 78460) single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0039	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress planar myocardial perfusion, 78460) multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0040	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress echocardiogram 93350), single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)

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G0041	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress echocardiogram 93350), multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0042	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress nuclear ventriculogram, 78481 or 78483); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0043	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress nuclear ventriculogram, 78481 or 78483); multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0044	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following rest ECG, 93000); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0045	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following rest ECG, 93000); multiple studies, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0046	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress ECG, 93015); single study, rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0047	2b	PET myocardial perfusion imaging, (following stress ECG, 93015); multiple studies rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic)
G0125	2b	PET imaging regional or whole body; single pulmonary nodule
G0210	2b	PET imaging whole body; diagnosis; lung cancer, non-small cell
G0211	2b	PET imaging whole body; initial staging; lung cancer, non-small cell
G0212	2b	PET imaging whole body; restaging; lung cancer, non-small cell
G0213	2b	PET imaging whole body; diagnosis; colorectal
G0214	2b	PET imaging whole body; initial staging; colorectal
G0215	2b	PET imaging whole body; restaging; colorectal
G0216	2b	PET imaging whole body; diagnosis; melanoma
G0217	2b	PET imaging whole body; initial staging; melanoma
G0218	2b	PET imaging whole body; restaging; melanoma
G0219	2b	PET imaging whole body; melanoma; for non-covered indications
G0220	2b	PET imaging whole body; diagnosis; lymphoma
G0221	2b	PET imaging whole body; initial staging; lymphoma
G0222	2b	PET imaging whole body; restaging; lymphoma
G0223	2b	PET imaging whole body; diagnosis; head and neck cancer; excluding thyroid and CNS cancers
G0224	2b	PET imaging whole body; initial staging; head and neck cancer; excluding thyroid and CNS cancers
G0225	2b	PET imaging whole body; restaging; head and neck cancer; excluding thyroid and CNS cancers
G0226	2b	PET imaging whole body; diagnosis; esophageal cancer
G0227	2b	PET imaging whole body; initial staging; esophageal cancer
G0228	2b	PET imaging whole body; restaging; esophageal cancer
G0229	2b	Pet imaging; metabolic brain imaging for pre-surgical evaluation of refractory seizures
G0230	2b	PET imaging; metabolic assessment for myocardial viability following inconclusive SPECT study
G0231	2b	PET, whole body, for recurrence of colorectal or colorectal metastatic cancer; gamma cameras only
G0232	2b	PET, whole body, for recurrence of lymphoma; gamma cameras only
G0233	2b	PET, whole body, for recurrence of melanoma; gamma cameras only

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G0234	2b	PET, regional or whole body, for solitary pulmonary nodule following CT or for initial staging of pathologically diagnosed non-small cell lung cancer; gamma cameras only
G0252	2b	PET imaging, full and partial-ring pet scanners only, for initial diagnosis of breast cancer and/or surgical planning for breast cancer (e.g., initial staging of axillary lymph nodes)
G0253	2b	PET imaging for breast cancer, full and partial-ring PET scanners only, staging/restaging of local regional recurrence or distant metastases (i.e., staging/restaging after or prior to course of treatment)
G0254	2b	PET imaging for breast cancer, full and partial ring PET scanners only, evaluation of response to treatment, performed during course of treatment

Revenue Code 450 - CPT code 99291 has been added as an acceptable corresponding CPT code for Emergency Level 1 services.